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Sir:

REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL AS ATTORNEY

I hereby request withdrawal as attorney of record for the above-identified patent application for myself and all attorneys and agents of Finnegan, Henderson, Farabow, Garrett & Dunner listed on the Power or Attorney filed for this application. The undersigned has authority to sign this request on behalf of Finnegan, Henderson, Farabow, Garrett & Dunner, and all attorneys and agents listed on the Power of Attorney filed for this application.

The assignee has been notified of this request, which is made in triplicate.

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